

## TELEGRAPH IS AGAIN MADE OFFICIAL NEWSPAPER BY SUPERVISORS

### WILSON APPEALS FOR HONOR OF THE NATION

PRESIDENT DELIVERS HIS PANAMA CANAL TOLL MESSAGE IN PERSON TODAY.

### ADDRESSES THE U. S. CONGRESS

SAYS EXEMPTION OF SHIPS IS MISTAKEN ECONOMY AND A TREATY VIOLATION.

### WOULD SUSTAIN NATIONAL HONOR

Says Only Thing We Can Afford to Do is Accede to Demands of Great Britain.

(By the Associated Press)

Washington, March 5—President Wilson personally appealed to congress, assembled in joint session today, to sustain the national honor of the United States in upholding treaty obligations by repealing the Panama tolls exemption against which Great Britain protests. He asked congress to do that "in support of the foreign policy of the administration," and added that an exemption for American ships not only was a "mistaken economic policy," but was in contravention of the Hay-Paunceforte treaty.

"I shall not know how to deal with other matters of greater delicacy and nearer consequence if you do not grant it to me in ungrudging measure," said the president.

The largest thing to do is the only thing we can afford to do; a voluntary withdrawal from position everywhere questioned and misunderstood. We ought to reverse our action without raising the question whether we were right or wrong, and so once more deserve our reputation for generosity and the redemption of every obligation without quibble or hesitation."

President Wilson's address, the shortest he has yet delivered to congress—exactly 420 words—was as follows:

"Gentlemen of the Congress:

"I have come to you upon an errand which can be very briefly performed, but I beg that you will not measure its importance by the number of sentences in which I state it. No communication I have addressed to the congress carried with it graver or more far-reaching implications to the interests of the country, and I come now to speak upon a matter with regard to which I am charged in a peculiar degree, by the constitution itself with personal responsibility.

"I have come to ask you for the repeal of that provision of the Panama canal act of August 24, 1912, which exempts vessels engaged in the coastwise trade of the United States from payment of tolls, and to urge upon you the justice, the wisdom and the large policy of such a repeal with the utmost earnestness of which I am capable.

"In my own judgment, very fully considered and maturely formed, that exemption constitutes a mistaken economic policy from every point of view and is moreover in plain contravention of the treaty with Great Britain concerning the canal concluded on November 18, 1901. But I have come to state to you a fact and a situation. Whatever may be our own differences of opinion concerning this much-debated measure, its meaning is not debated outside the United States. Everywhere else the language of the treaty is given but one interpretation, and that interpretation precludes the exemption I am asking you to repeal. We consented to the treaty; its language we accepted, if we did not originate it; and we are too big, too powerful, too self-respecting a nation to interpret too strained or refined a reading of the words of our own promises just because we have power enough to give us leave to read them as we please. The large thing to do is the only thing we can afford to do, a voluntary withdrawal from a position everywhere questioned and misunderstood. We ought to reverse our action without raising the question whether we were right or wrong, and so once more deserve

### THE ABYSMAL BRUTE STARTS ON FRIDAY

JACK LONDON'S FAMOUS NOVEL WILL APPEAR DAILY IN THE TELEGRAPH.

### ANOTHER BY McCUTCHEON

"The Abysmal Brute" Will Be Followed by George Barr McCutcheon's "The Hollow of Her Hand."

Tomorrow night on page six will be found the opening chapters of one of Jack London's latest novels, "The Abysmal Brute." If you read Jack London, which you do if you keep up on modern fiction, you know his style and it suffices for us to say that this is one of his best. It is a story of the prize ring. A story of action, red blood, clever wits and love, and a story that will keep you tingling with excitement until you have read the last word. Read the opening chapters on page six on Friday night and you will see to it that you do not miss a single installment. The story will appear every evening until it is finished. It is not a long story. It will be followed by another serial that we are proud to say we have secured, "The Hollow of Her Hand," by George Barr McCutcheon. The Telegraph's serial stories are the talk of Lee county and people realize that in this paper is to be found the very best of the sort of entertainment that the public demands. The recent increases in the Telegraph's circulation testify to the public approval of what we are giving it. We have contracted for many months ahead in order that we might secure for the Telegraph readers the best and latest stories and other features that are to be purchased. Some of these are not yet out in serial form. You will be delighted when you read the announcements. Watch for them. Our list of the "Seven Star Serials" is not half finished, and it will be supplemented from time to time with whatever is available that comes up to the standard the Telegraph has set.

### GARDNER THOMPSON IS VETERAN MEMBER

AND WYOMING TOWNSHIP MEMBER LOOKS LIKE A WYOMING STATE CELEBRITY, "BUFFALO BILL" CODY.

Gardner W. Thompson of Wyoming township enjoys the distinction of being both the oldest and youngest member of the Lee county board of supervisors, for he is now serving at the age of 73 as a representative from that township at his first meeting since his appointment to fill the unexpired term of Arthur S. Wells, who resigned after the December meeting.

Teachers' Examination

The regular teachers' examinations will be held at the county superintendent's office Friday and Saturday of this week.

### BARNARD'S LADY ORCHESTRA COMING

WILL GIVE ENTERTAINMENT AT ELKS' CLUB ON NEXT WEDNESDAY.

### CUT HAND WHILE BUTCHERING

Thomas Geiger of Nelson township cut himself severely yesterday afternoon while butchering, the wound inflicted requiring the services of a surgeon. In some manner Mr. Geiger cut a deep gash in the fleshy part of his right hand near the base of the thumb, several stitches being necessary to close the wound.

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### SCHEDULE OF CENTRAL EXAMINATION OUT

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT MILLER WILL CONDUCT FIFTEEN EXAMINATIONS.

County Superintendent L. W. Miller has issued the schedule for the central examinations for prospective graduates from the rural schools of Lee county, fifteen examinations having been listed. Mr. Miller expects to have personal charge of each of these, but requires the attendance of teachers who have pupils who will take the tests. The following are the dates and locations of the examinations:

Wednesday, March 11—Nelson.  
Thursday, March 12—Gap Grove.  
Friday, March 13—Dixon.  
Monday, March 16—Nauvoo.  
Tuesday, March 17—Franklin Grove.

Wednesday, March 18—Sublette.  
Thursday, March 19—Weishhaar school, Dist. 89.

Friday, March 20—Lee Center.  
Saturday, March 21—Amboy.  
Tuesday, March 24—Steward.  
Wednesday, March 25—Lee.  
Thursday, March 26—Pawpaw.  
Friday, March 27—Compton.  
Monday, March 30—Harmon.  
Wednesday, April 1—Keigwin school, Dist. 212.

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### WEATHER FORECAST

Dixon and vicinity: Generally fair tonight and Friday, with possible showers turning to snow flurries. Somewhat colder Friday.  
Sunrise 6:29 a. m. Sunset 5:56 p. m.

Light lamps on motor vehicles at 5:56 p. m.

The following report of high and low temperatures and precipitation is taken each morning at 7 o'clock and is for the preceding 24 hours:

Max Min Precip.  
Sunday ..... 49 6  
Monday ..... 22 8  
Tuesday ..... 32 8  
Wednesday ..... 34 17  
Thursday ..... 44 11

### L. B. NEIGHBOUR IS ELECTED ROAD BOSS

WELL KNOWN SURVEYOR APPOINTED TO PROMINENT POSITION TODAY.

### TO RESIGN AS SURVEYOR

Prof. Neighbor Accepts Appointment  
—Wells Got Six Votes on First Ballot.

Prof. L. B. Neighbour, county surveyor and well and favorably known in this county for many years, was this morning elected to the position of county superintendent of highways by the board of supervisors. He immediately accepted the position, which is all that is required to qualify him for the office, as he has already passed the examination. Mr. Neighbour announced that he would resign his office as county surveyor as soon as elected to the position just given him.

The vote was by ballot, and the county gave L. B. Neighbour 15 votes and Arthur S. Wells 6 votes. It is not understood that Mr. Wells was a candidate, the impression being that it would be legally impossible for him to hold the office. On the motion of Mr. Welty and the second of Mr. Edwards, the board voted unanimously to appoint Mr. Neighbour as county highway superintendent, as he had received the majority of votes.

Mr. Neighbour was called upon to explain certain phases of the law not well defined, and he made an interesting talk to the board, telling of the sort of roads the state recommended to be built, and of the ways in which the work will be done. Mr. Neighbour intends to go into the road building business with his heart and soul, and we believe he will give Lee county some fine roads.

### C. W. POST IN RACE WITH DEATH

(By the Associated Press)

Las Vegas, Nev., March 5.—The special train bearing C. W. Post, the famous food manufacturer who is ill, and is racing him to Rochester, Minn., where he is to be operated upon by the Mayo Brothers in case he lives to reach them, went through here at a terrific rate. The train is averaging 79 miles an hour and has kept that gait since it left Los Angeles.

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### F. H. GEHANT TELLS VIEWS OF PROBLEM

WEST BROOKLYN BANKER IS INVITED TO ADDRESS BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

### FIX UP OLD CHICAGO ROAD

Prominent Brooklyn Resident Declares Such Action Would Do Great Good for Greatest Number.

Hon. Henry F. Gehant, banker at West Brooklyn and editor of the West Brooklyn News, visited the board of supervisors this morning while the body was in session, and was invited to address a few remarks to his former colleagues, for Mr. Gehant was formerly a highly valued member of the board. The West Brooklyn banker chose for his subject, "Hard Roads," and he made a very eloquent and able plea for the building of hard, permanent highways, leading from the various parts of the county to Dixon, the county seat. Especially was Mr. Gehant anxious to see a county road built along the route of the old Chicago road, a part of which is now passable macadam, but another part of which is, as Mr. Gehant expresses it, "a trail of mud," a good portion of the year. This road, as Mr. Gehant explained, runs southeast and northwest through the county, reaching from Dixon, clear through the middle of that part of the county which lies east and south, and which is so inaccessible at present. Mr. Gehant declared that a state aid road, built to stay and routed over this old Chicago road, would "do the greatest good to the greatest number," and he asked the supervisors to carefully consider the matter before they start rebuilding somewhere else. Mr. Gehant's remarks were met with a great deal of enthusiasm.

Mr. Gehant is a very influential and popular resident of this county, and his words will have weight.

The Telegraph has again been recognized as the biggest and best medium for disseminating news and advertising in Lee county, and by an official board.

This afternoon the Lee county board of supervisors voted unanimously to select the Dixon Evening Telegraph as the official newspaper for Lee county, in which the reports of the proceedings of the board of supervisors will appear exclusively.

The contract was awarded at a competitive examination, where the price and circulation were considered.

The price bid by the Telegraph was no lower than that bid by any other competitor, but the supervisors, recognizing that the Telegraph has a larger circulation than any other paper in the county, gave the contract to this paper. The circulation of the Daily Telegraph alone is larger than any other paper in the county and when the circulation of the weekly papers published by this concern is added, a circulation of over forty-six hundred results. Of course no other concern can come within fifteen hundred or more of this mark.

### THE JUNIOR WILL APPEAR FRIDAY EVE

#### N. D. H. S. STUDENTS TO PRESENT COMEDY AT DIXON OPERA HOUSE.

Everything is in readiness for the production of "The Junior," by the seniors of the North Dixon high school at the opera house tomorrow night and the advance sale indicates that the play house will be crowded by friends of the young people. The comedy which is to be presented is beyond doubt one of the most comical of any ever produced, and the young people were certainly happy in their selection of a play.

"The Junior" illustrates how comedies are kept out of some of the institutions and it keeps something doing all the time. During the play the Glebe club, under the able direction of Mrs. Phelps, will entertain with music. The cast of characters is:

Edward Moore, the Junior .....

..... Burton Woodworth

Jimmy Monroe, another junior .....

..... Wilbur Bates

Thin Smith, another junior .....

..... James Schrock

Demosthenes Mervyn .....

..... Sherwood Dixon

Silk Ricketts .. Edward Kurzrock

Willy Rockwell .. Hugh Duffy

Thomas J. Highfield, captain of

finance .. Carl Kling

President Fowler of Lakefield U. .... Richard Schuck

Janet Hale, Highfield's niece ..

..... Miss Olive Hutchinson

Mabel Gray .. Miss Ethel Rhodes

Verda Griswold .. Miss Lelah Deeter

Violet .. Miss Florence Stackpole

Seniors and Juniors .....

..... Students of University

### U. S. WAITS AND WATCHES MEXICO

CARRANZA'S COMMISSION TO START THE BAUCH AND BENTON INVESTIGATION TODAY.

(By the Associated Press)

Washington, March 5.—The United States is today awaiting the outcome of the investigation that has been instituted by General Carranza rebel leader into the execution of W. S. Benton, the Englishman whom Villa says he shot.

An investigation as to the fate of Gustav Bauch, the American who so mysteriously disappeared, is also being made. Carranza's Mexican investigation commission is expected to begin work today in Juarez.

Trimmer Arrives.

Miss Boern of the Gage millinery house, Chicago, has arrived here to assume her position as trimmer at Miss Mulkins' millinery parlors this season.

### HALF MILLION RANSOM OR DEATH SA'S VILLA

(By the Associated Press)

El Paso, Tex., March 5.—Luis Terraza, for many months held prisoner by the rebels at Chihuahua, pending negotiations for a ransom, has until tomorrow to pay a half million dollars to General Villa under pain of death.

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## AMBOY NEWS

boys. The score was 6 to 5, favor of Lee Center.

Miss Pearl Biesecker of Lee Center was in Amboy Friday evening. She took part in the basket ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eton of Inlet were here Saturday.

Because of the scarlet fever at the U. of I. at Champaign, Glenn Vaughan is home for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Vaughan.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williamson were here Saturday. They will leave for Oakland, Cal., the first of the week to make their home. They have resided on a farm at Inlet for several years and have many friends who regret to have them leave this community, but wish them much success in their new home.

Miss Ruby Leavens returned to her home in Lee Center after spending several weeks with relatives in Chicago and Wisconsin.

Paul Wasson and Irvin Schroeder were in Compton Friday and Saturday on business.

Mrs. C. Henschel of Lee Center was an Amboy shopper Saturday.

Miss Nellie Burns visited over the week end with relatives in Amboy.

A combination sale was held at the feed sheds Saturday. A large amount of machinery, buggies, etc., were sold, also 20 horses. John Goodyear sold all his farming implements and stock. John Gentry was auctioneer. The prices brought were very satisfactory.

Everyone was thinking that spring had arrived for sure, Saturday and in the evening, about 5 o'clock, they were repeating those old familiar lines from 'Chaucer.' 'Spring has come Lykelle, Lykelle, Merrily sing, Lykelle.'

Miss Thurza Palmer, granddaughter of Mr. Abner Wells, of this place is seriously ill at the latter's home at Binghampton.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Lenox are moving this week to a farm near Gap Grove, northeast of Dixon.

Bert Starks had several carloads of potatoes shipped here from Wisconsin last fall, a part of which he put in cellar and he is now selling these to people in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Loan are the proud parents of a baby girl, born Wednesday.

Mrs. Jacob Eisenberg who has been at the Amboy hospital, is im-

proving rapidly from her recent operation.

Miss Nellie Harvey is employed at Brady's meat market as bookkeeper. The former bookkeeper has gone to Chicago to accept a position there.

Mrs. C. C. Jacobs entertained the evening card club at her home on Main street Friday evening. Refreshments were served and all report a delightful evening.

Mrs. Louis Bieseler of Sublette, was a caller at the W. White home Saturday.

Miss Koesler of Rockford attended the game at the opera house Friday evening.

Miss Mae Brannigan was here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lewis and children expect to move to a few weeks to the farm, formerly occupied by Mr. Bartlett and family. Mr. Lewis has been farming there the past year but living in the Kreiter house at Binghampton.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon for Abner Wells at the M. E. church. Interment at Prairie Repose cemetery.

Mrs. J. E. Lewis who was injured last week by a fall, is reported improved.

Reverend and Mrs. George entertained the M. E. choir Friday evening very delightfully. Delicious refreshments were served.

Miss Elfrieda Steinkaker was in Amboy Friday evening playing in the basket ball game.

There will be a cafeteria supper at the Lee Center school house on Wednesday evening, March 4th. Interurban car will be run at 7:30.

G. H. T. Shaw returned to his home in Lee Center Saturday after a short business trip.

Walter Taylor was here Saturday.

D. McKeel who held a closing out

sale last week at his farm south of Amboy, moved his family to the southern part of the state this week.

Prof. Morrissey of West Brooklyn visited his mother in Binghampton over Sunday.

John Smith who has been quite ill, is better.

Howard Miller was here from Dixon where he is attending school, for a visit over Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Miller of the Swamps.

Ray McCracken and Miss Mary Berry were married at the Lutheran parsonage in Dixon by Rev. Altman.

The bride and groom are well known in this vicinity and have many friends who wish them much happiness. Miss Berry is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philo Berry of Lee Center and Mr. McCracken is a son of Mrs. Delia McCracken of near Amboy. They will farm the Nazareth place north of Amboy.

Mrs. Neifing left for Pontiac for a visit with relatives.

Miss Blanche Lear is ill with pneumonia at the Amboy hospital.

Miss Lulu Long visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Long Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Thorne of Janesville, Wis., came to Amboy to visit his mother, Mrs. R. B. Thorne, who was injured last week by a fall. He returned home the latter part of the week but his wife remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Corry but recently married, returned home from their honeymoon trip this week.

L. C. Thorne of Sterling was here to visit his mother, Mrs. R. B. Thorne who is quite ill.

The Womens Catholic Order of Foresters will hold a ball in the Amboy opera house St. Patrick's day.

W. D. Parker has returned from a visit in Iowa and Minnesota.

Miss Ethel McGowan is entertaining Miss Elizabeth McCann of Council Bluffs, Ia.

Miss Mabel Barlow is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Harry Granger, of Stockton.

John M. Egan, of Aurora, formerly of Amboy was here one day this week.

The two children of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Ankeny who have been ill with pneumonia are reported on the road to recovery.

Mr. Backer and family left for their new home at Fairmont, Ill., Monday morning. They resided on a farm a short distance south of Amboy for the past nineteen years. Their many friends here regret their departure but wish them success in their new home.

Miss Margaret Burns left for Chicago where she will take a position.

The Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. Anna Klein Monday and a program which consisted of piano solos by Stella Klein, a duet by Raymond Smith and sister and several papers read by members of the club was enjoyed. A helpful meeting is reported by all present.

Howard Miller returned to school at Dixon after a visit with his parents at Inlet.

Allan, little son of Mr. and Mrs. John Wittenauer is quite ill at the present time.

Mrs. Cora Tait spent Monday at the Mrs. Mary Tait home east of this city.

Mrs. Boyer returned to her home at Everett, Ill., after spending a Bissell were entertained at their

few days at the Abner Wells home.

Herbert Utley and family left the first of the week for their new home at Sandwich, Ill. They have been operating the Central board at Lee Center for some time and Mr. Utley and family have moved from Franklin Grove to take their place.

They have many friends in Amboy and Lee Center who regret their departure and trust they will come and see us often. We wish them success in their new home. Mr. Utley expects to work with the Dredge company at Sandwich.

J. F. Bernaglin of West Brooklyn, visited his mother here Saturday.

Atty. Wm. Leach was in Dixon on business Saturday.

Miss Ella Huneycutt and Hoyt W. Tennant were married at Dixon Saturday at the Lutheran parsonage.

They will reside on a farm near Compton. They are both well known here and we wish them happiness.

C. H. Wooster was in Dixon Saturday.

Henry Smith and family expect to move on the Jacob Holmes farm north of Amboy for the coming year.

Richard Tait who is ill with pneumonia is better today.

Mrs. R. Thorne who had her hip broken last week, reported resting as well as could be expected at the present writing.

George Ulrich was here on business Saturday.

Miss Emma Simpson returned to her school at Bradford Monday morning after spending Sunday with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Richardson visited at the R. Hillison home near Lee Center Monday evening.

R. W. Jamison sent some time ago to his home in Pennsylvania for some friends of his to come to Amboy to find places on farms and several arrived in Amboy. One is now located at the McCarty farm near Walton and the other gentleman went to the Joe Hall farm to farm the coming season. Mr. Jamison thinks there is a fine chance here for them as wages are higher here than in Pennsylvania. He expects several more in few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wittenauer and family called at the Levi Skinner home and also at the Charles Wittnauer home Sunday.

Miss Susie Boyer of Everett, Ill., is visiting at the Abner Wells home in Binghampton.

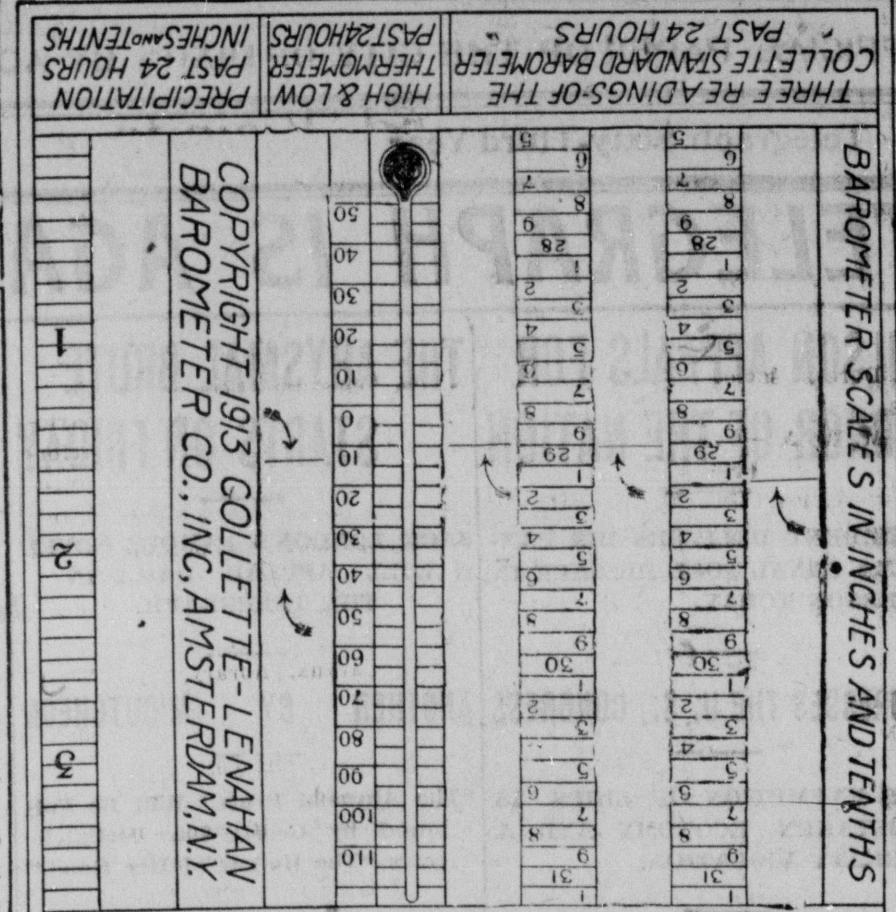
Several men are working here in the interest of the canning factory which will be located here this summer. The factory will can tomatoes and later pumpkins.

Alex Sauer was here on business Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Keefer spent Saturday and Sunday at her home near Walton.

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DAILY METEOROLOGICAL RECORD  
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## BRIEF EXPLANATION...

"First arrow on left indicates yesterday's reading of the barometer at 6 p. m. The second arrow indicates today's 7 a. m. reading. The third arrow indicates today's 3 p. m. reading, and the next two arrows indicate the high and low thermometer for the past 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today. The last arrow indicates the amount of precipitation, if any, during the past 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. The direction

in which the arrows in the barometer readings indicate at a glance the movement of the barometer.

From life's beginning, even to its end, trouble and weariness have been thy part;

With twilight shadows now, sweet dreams attend,

To soothe with hope of rest thy tired heart.

Thy poverty's sore need wouldst strive to hide,

And thou wouldest suffer still in silent pride;

Thy life's work done—when twilight shades appear

'Tis quitting time; rest and reward are near;

Yet, all through life's gray morn, gray noon, dark night,

Survival of the fittest stands for Right.

—By a Dixon Citizen.

John McMahan of Thornton, Iowa, is a guest of his brother, W. B. McMahan.



## Society Notes of Dixon And Vicinity

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

**Thursday**

Dorcas Society—Mrs. Thom-

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M. W. A.—Union Hall.

**Friday**

St. Agnes Guild with Miss

Pankhurst.

N. D. H. S. Senior Class Play

Opera House.

**Saturday**

D. A. R.—Miss Pankhurst.

**St. Ann's Guild**

St. Ann's Guild will meet with Mrs. H. G. Reynolds, Galena avenue Friday at 2:30.

### Baking Sale.

The Z. W. Circle of the Zion church will hold a home baking sale Saturday, March 7th, at Sterlings drug store.

### Cooking Sale.

The Jolly Busy Bees will hold a home cooking sale all day Saturday, at Tillison's drug store.

### At Harry Long's.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Long entertained at their home last evening; Messrs. and Mesdames Thomas Geiger, J. B. Williams, J. W. Duffy, E. E. Holdridge and John Hartzell. The evening was a pleasant one for all.

### With Mrs. Wurth

Members of the Social Circle of the Prairieville church yesterday enjoyed a very pleasant gathering at the home of Mrs. John Wurth, where they spent the entire day, sewing carpet rags. At noon a delicious scramble dinner was enjoyed. A large amount of work was accomplished.

### Everybody Invited.

A cordial invitation is extended to every dancer in the city to attend the first of the weekly parties to be given at the new armory this evening by Everybody's club, and spectators also are assured a hearty welcome by the committee in charge. The hall has been thoroughly cleaned for tonight's event, several easy rockers have been added to the seating equipment and, in fact, everything possible has been done to make those who attend happy. The music for the dancing will be furnished by the Marquette orchestra or six pieces.

### Rebekahs Entertain.

The Penny Carnival, given by the Ladies of Minnie Belle Rebekah Lodge last evening, I. O. O. F. proved a great success, being attended by a large number of members and friends.

The attractions all proved very entertaining and were well patronized.

A large sum of money was realized from the affair.

It is hoped the attendance this evening will be as good as that of last.

At several of the different booths toothsome edibles, such as individual pies, cake, etc., were served for a penny.

A program was also given. If you are looking for an evening of pleasure at a most reasonable price, go to the Penny Carnival this evening and join in the fun.

### Spelling School

An old fashioned spelling school will be held at Nauvoo, Friday evening, March 6th. The following is a list of the words that will be used:

Indelible, inoculate, prophesy, nickel, nausea, necessary, ratio, necessarily, raiment, receive, re-cipe, rhinoceros, reservoir, rhubarb,

## Beauty Shop

Switches made from Combing Shampooing, Manicuring Hair-dressing and Facial Massage

During the month of February I will give a FREE Facial Massage with every \$1.50 purchase of

**BUENA TOILET PREPARATIONS**

This is to introduce the Famous BUENA PREPARATIONS which I have exclusively in Dixon.

**Florence I. Dustman**

123½ First Street, over Martin's

mucilage, muscles, medicine, perceive, mileage, movable, mischievous molasses, mosquito, masculine, militia, mortgage, martyr, melon, opossum, opium, licorice, mistletoe, measles, neuralgia, nubbin, patrician, penitentiary, portfolio, perforate, pious, precious, parcel, paregoric, physiology, plateau, irrelevant, iceberg, parasite, inseparable, indigestible, ipecac, inversion, prophecy, preparation, proficient, porcelain incision, inertia, knuckle, pigeon, myrtle, larynx, library, judgment, juice, journey, proceed, prairie, periosteum, putting, pitiful, initial, promissory, liquor, lettuce, Lincoln, lose, legacy, lizard, locust, lucky, penniless, nauseate, nitrogen, nineteenth, puzzle, picnicking, Pennsylvania, piracy, preamble, procedure, piano, plumber, pennyroyal, peaceable, partridge, plaintiff, parallel, celery, crystallize, cinnamon, conjugate, corroborate, chronicle, chrysanthemum, certificate, cataract, contagious, column, census, conscience, criticise, cemetery, chestnut, cupboard, cistern cabbage, connect, conduct, counterfeited, catarrh, chocolate, crocodile, co-ordinate, capillary, colleague, chieftain, conscious, cellar, crumb, concede, collision, complexion, changeable, centennial, contestant, cyclone, Christmas, cartilage, cipher, crustacean, chasm, comparative, clevis, Cincinnati, civil, Chicago, chimney, calendar, chemical, coming civilian, censure, cardiac, courtesy, compass, descend, diligent, deemed, develop, dutiable, disinfectant, difficult, disappoint, Delaware, depot, design, diaphragm, demagogue, dolly, dandruff, dispense, dismissal, declarative, development, divisible, decimal, duogone, delible, diameter, drowned, dough, deity, deceive, diphtheria, deficient, disease, elementary, endorsement, economy.

### At Motor Boat Show.

Messrs. Robert Espy, George L. Howell and John Frees attended the motor boat show in Chicago this week.

### Friendship Lodge.

There will be a regular meeting of Friendship Lodge, No. 7, A. F. & A. M., this evening. There will be business to attend to.

### Busy Bees.

The Jolly Busy Bees and friends were in good humor yesterday afternoon and were unusually busy. The hive seemed to be in the neighborhood of the Lewis Leydig home on West Fourth street and the honey gathered by the workers came prepared in white parcels tied in dainty blue and pink ribbons and the examinations gave evidence that the contents were the best variety of white clover honey. The bee bread was delicious ice cream and cake and was much enjoyed. It is needless to say there were no drones yesterday. After partaking of the bee bread the bees flew homeward each with a "stinging" sensation of extreme satisfaction.

### Meets Saturday.

Mrs. L. W. Newcomer's Sunday school class will hold a regular meeting and social Saturday at 2:30 at her home.

### 17th Anniversary.

Dorothy Chapter No. 371, O. E. S. will celebrate its 17th anniversary at Masonic hall Friday afternoon and evening. Mrs. May Bromley Millroy, W. G. M., of Chicago will be a guest and a reception in her honor will be held in the chapter rooms from 5 to 6. A 6 o'clock dinner will be served in the banquet room, followed by the regular meeting, at 8 o'clock.

All members of Dorothy Chapter and any members of the order in the city are invited.

### W. R. T. C.

The W. R. T. C. will meet with Mrs. C. C. Rorick at 610 Galena avenue, Saturday afternoon.

### PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned intending to move to North Dakota, will have a public sale at his place of residence known as the old Minser farm, 4 miles west of Dixon, Ill., on the River road, 8 miles east of Sterling, on Thursday, March 12th, commencing at 1 o'clock p.m. sharp, the following property:

4 Head of Horses, consisting of 3 good work horses, one 8 years old and one 4 years old; one yearling



MISS KENMORE, WHO PLAYS THE LEADING LADY ROLE IN EXCUSE ME, AT OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT.

coit.

Farm Machinery: 1 manure spreader, 1 hay rake, 1 hay loader, 1 mower, 1 new Tower cultivator, 1 new Deere riding cultivator, 1 walking corn plow, 1 Black Hawk corn planter with 100 rods of wire, 2 lumber planter with 100 rods of wire, 2 lumber wagons, 1 milk wagon, 1 set of dump plank, hay fork, 2 hay carriers, hay rope, 2 feeding racks, 80 rods of hog wire, 26 inch; 1 read buggy, 1 Hoosier grain drill with fertilizer and grass seed attachments, 1 hog rack, 1 wood rack, 1 grain binder, 1 disc, 1 pulverizer, 1 stubble plow, 1 new hay rack, 1 bob sled, 1 full set of butchering tools, 1 tank heater, 1 set of work harness, 1 set of double driving harness, 8 bushels of Early Ohio Junior seed potatoes, 10 bushels of Banner seed potatoes, 1 stack of oat straw, 1 stack of wheat straw, 4 tons shredded fodder, 1 10-bushel seed corn drier.

Farm Machinery: 1 McCormick grain binder nearly new with tongue and truck; 1 Monitor 11 foot grain drill good as new; 1 Flying Dutchman hay loader; 1 new Grand Detour riding plow; 1 14-inch and 1 16-inch walking plow; 1 surface culti-

face pulverizer, set wagon springs, buggy pole, 1 set heavy work harness and other articles.

Household Goods: 1 gas stove, 1 bed, wash stand, matting, book case and many other sundries.

Terms: Ten months' time will be given on sums of \$10 and over if purchaser gives a good bankable note with approved security drawing

D. M. Fahrney, Auct. C. R. Leake, Clerk.

ELAM HILL.

Entirely needless—use Parisian Sage. It quickly removes dandruff—your head feels fine.

Household Furniture: 2 beds and springs, tables, oil stove, forks, shovels, spades, chains, double-trees, many other articles not mentioned.

Terms made known on day of sale.

E. L. Hill.

Having sold part of my farm I will sell at public auction at my residence 1106 Walnut Ave., in Dixon, Ill., on Thursday, March 12th, 1914, at 1 p.m., the following property:

11 Head of Cattle, consisting of 6 extra good cows, 4 of them are Jerseys and eligible to registry and 3 are fresh now and 1 will be fresh in the fall; 2 grade cows, 1 fresh and the other a heavy springer; a heifer due to calve next fall; 3 thoroughbred Jersey calves; 1 registered Jersey bull 2 years old. He is a fine individual from an imported dam.

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GERMAN SOLDIERS LOSE LIVES

(By the Associated Press)

Vienna, Germany, March 5.—Seven teen soldiers, who were members of the Emperor's Rifle Regiment were killed by an avalanche during maneuvers in the mountains.

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

"Cameoleo" the new shadow lace for corset covers, 1-2 yd. . . . .

17 inch wide shadow lace for flouncing, beautiful goods, 1-2 yd. . . . .

Coming Soon, the greatest and latest bargains ever shown, 14 inch blue painted foottubs, very special . . . . .

Steel squares and tri-squares . . . . .

Plastering and pointing trowels . . . . .

Wall paper cleaner . . . . .

3-strand gold beads . . . . .

Gliding casters per set . . . . .

Electric light globes . . . . .

Lamp brackets . . . . .

Aluminum pie plates . . . . .

Aluminum dippers, wood handle . . . . .

Double door curtain rods . . . . .

Large lunch boxes . . . . .

Millinery goods of all kinds . . . . .

Jap rugs . . . . .

All the latest song hits . . . . .

Glass covered honey dishes . . . . .

## Dementcown

A Dixon school boy says modern dictionaries should be revised so that they show a pedestrian as a person who dodges automobiles.

If five cent loaves of a certain kind of bread are called "pumpernickel" would larger ones be called "pumper-dime"?

It is very probable that a lot of single men have the sand to propose, but the trouble is that they are shy on dust.

Marriage licenses are bought on installment plan. A couple of beans down and most of your salary the rest of your life.

A Boston divine would make a bonfire on Boston common of all the literature based on the sex problem, and white slavery. The awful, awful, man!

### Example

Landlord—Good morning, sir. Just dropped in to see if it's convenient for you to pay your rent.

Tenant—Glad you called. I want to complain about the doors; none of them will shut.

L.—New house, you sir, takes time to settle.

T.—Ah! Then I guess I'll follow the house's example. Good day, sir. Call again.

## SHERMAN CONDEMNS AGITATION

(By the Associated Press)

Washington, March 5.—The Industrial Workers of the World and the militant suffragettes should be classified with the "other forms of lawless" said Senator L. Y. Sherman of Illinois, in a speech today.

## ELLIS MURDER CASE TO JURY

(By the Associated Press)

Chicago, March 5.—The case of William Ellis, who is charged with the murder of his wife, was today turned over to the jury which will decide his fate.

FRED WHIPPERMAN.

Geo. J. Fruin, Auct.

Harry Warner, Clerk.

## BABY WARNER DED THIS MORNING

(By the Associated Press)

Chicago, March 5.—The case of 67 women charged with conspiracy aid disorderly conduct in connection with the waitresses' strike, has been postponed a week. Both sides are said to be working on an agreement to settle the trouble.

Revised the tariff downward, putting most of the necessities of

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## A COUNTRY HOME IS NEEDED.

The supervisors, who are in session in Dixon, are discussing the County Home problem. They are all of the opinion that present conditions cannot go on as they have been, if Lee county is to keep abreast of the times. Lee county's home for the poor is a downright disgrace to this big and wealthy county.

It is true that the keepers of the home are doing everything in their power to make the farm a success, and considering what they have to work with, they have done remarkably well, but the fact remains that the property is anything but a credit to the county.

The land itself would make a good farm for a private farmer, for it is well tiled and has been well cultivated, but for the purpose which it must serve the county, it is pitifully inefficient. What we need is a large farm of the best land in the county, for a farm that will make money for the average farmer may not come near to answering the needs of a public institution that must support scores of people.

The buildings on the farm are a menace to the lives of the inmates, and if the supervisors do not take action soon, they may be directly responsible for a great disaster, for a fire on the place would amount to that. The Telegraph would like to see this county purchase a large farm in a good locality, accessible to Dixon, the county seat and the city from which most of the business with the farm must be done; brick or stone buildings that would grace the property erected upon it and a farm that all Lee county would be justly proud of, instituted. Now is the time to do it. It would be much the saner plan to make the change now, before something happens that will cause great loss and bring upon the heads of the county government the responsibility for the trouble which delay may bring.

There is a strong movement on foot to have the location of the Lee County Home for the poor changed to a point near Dixon, on a main road that makes it accessible from all points. If the present board of supervisors will take it upon themselves to bring this to pass, they will have an achievement to their credit that will be an ever-living monument to their foresight and enterprise. Dixon as a location is the best that can be found, for it can offer, not only, the advantages of the seat of county government and the business and population center of the county, but the right kind of land, sanitation, drainage, the best of railroad connections to all parts of the county, etc. It is the logical location for the new County Home, which will soon be a reality, as it now the fond dream of every public-spirited citizen of the county.

The present county property is a disreputable affair. Its long but scarcely brilliant career as one of the most important pieces of public property should be cut short without much ado.

## AS SILENT AS THE TOMB.

Still another council meeting has arrived and gone beyond on the ever-fleeting wings of time, and behold, the garbage question is still with us. The garbage question, we will agree, is anything but a savory dish to have served up continually, but it is like the Thanksgiving turkey—there is only one way of getting rid of it, and we might as well keep at it until it is finished, and the quicker we do it the quicker we can forget it.

We hardly like to think that the garbage question is always to confront us, although to some less hopeful than ourselves, the proposition seems doubtful. And the garbage pile grows by leaps and bounds. They say it's going to be a warm summer, and believe our story, there will be little breeze in Dixon if we allow the mountains and ridges and ranges of table refuse to wall us in as they seem bent on doing, and what breeze we get will not be laden with sweet-scented perfumes; not by a large majority.

What a banquet we are preparing for the happy little house flies. How they will gorge themselves and raise their kids, and how likewise will their kids and their kids' kids emulate their forebears. With the hearty co-operation of a strong force of typhoid germs, the doctors and the undertakers should have many days of toil and sleepless nights in Dixon this summer.

Of course it may not be as bad as that, but why in the name of common sense should we run the risk? There is strong possibility that the mere disgrace of a city this size having no garbage removal system will not be the only result of the supreme indifference the city commissioners are displaying.

CAUSE OF MRS. HEINZE  
FUNERAL HELD TODAY

The funeral of Cassius M. Fairman, who was a cousin of Mrs. H. Heinze of this city, was held yesterday in Oak Park, the remains being taken to Milford, his former home, for burial. The DuPage county authorities have discontinued their investigation into the death of

ern track near Wheaton last Saturday morning, the coroner's jury returning a verdict that death was accidental.

## MISS THOMPSON IMPROVES.

Miss Avis Thompson, who submitted to an operation for appendicitis at the hospital yesterday, is reported to have had a comfortable night and the wealthy young broker, whose remains were found on the Northwest

ern track near Wheaton last Saturday morning, the coroner's jury returning a verdict that death was accidental.

(By the Associated Press) Nogales, Hono Sonora, March 5—Gen. Carranza and his staff officers, with a heavy guard of troops, left on the train to Naco Sonora today. From there Carranza will ride to Chihuahua and then go to Cazas Grannes, southwest of Juarez.

**Plain Speech**

By WALT MASON

Old Ebenezer Jimpson Jinks takes pride in saying what he thinks. "I do not mince my words," says he, "but speak my mind out bold and free; and if I do not like a gent, I make it plainly evident; I air my views to beat the band, and people know just where I stand." He takes foolish pride, methinks, does Ebenezer Jimpson Jinks, in being rude and rough of speech, but few regard him as a peach. He keeps his neighbors hot and sore, and they denounce him as a bore. "We'll pay the freight," they often say, "if he would only move away!" And people dodge him on the street; they hate to hear old Jinks repeat "his honest views" on this and that, which views are spoken through his hat. When he steps up to join a crowd, you'd think a cold and clammy shroud had fallen on that bunch of men, who all disperse to meet again when there's no Jinks to give the blues expounding "his straightforward views." If you would have a grist of friends you'll bear in mind that friendship ends and cordial feeling slinks behind, when you begin to "speak your mind."

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**City In Brief**

Paul Buzzard of Sterling was here last evening.

—Double trading stamps Saturday at Brown's. 542

O. M. Rogers is in Chicago today on business.

Miss Lelia Preston went to Nachusa this morning.

—Fresh cottage cheese, 22 lbs. best granulated sugar for \$1.00 with a dollar order; good peaches 10c per can, best bacon 19c per pound. We

give sample box Purity Oats to each customer. Best hominy, corn, Lima beans, kidney beans, sardines at 10c per can. Rutabagas 2c per pound. We sell Zephyr flour, each sack guaranteed. Tetrick's Grocery, 116 Peoria Ave. Phone 169. 542

Miss Bertha Ford went to Chicago for a short visit.

Isadore Elchler went east this morning.

—Dr. R. L. Baird and Dr. W. C. McWethy have moved their offices to the Dixon National Bank building, Room 22, second floor. 5210

C. P. Herrick and Harry Mulnix of Polo were here Wednesday.

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**HOLD LABOR LEADER  
UNDER \$75,000 BOND**

TANNENBAUM AND 200 FOLLOWERS ARRESTED—CHARGE OF INCITING RIOT.

(Associated Press)

New York, March 5.—Frank Tannenbaum, a leader of the unemployed, was arraigned today on a charge of inciting riot. His examination was postponed until tomorrow. On motion of the district attorney his bond was increased to \$75,000 and he was taken to jail. Two hundred of his followers who were arrested with him last night are in the Tombs awaiting trial on charge of disorderly conduct, each on a \$1,000 bond.

**DIAZ WANTS CHANCE  
TO TELL HIS VIEWS**

REPORT IS HE WOULD CONVINCE U. S. HE CAN ESTABLISH GOOD GOVERNMENT IN MEXICO.

(By the Associated Press)

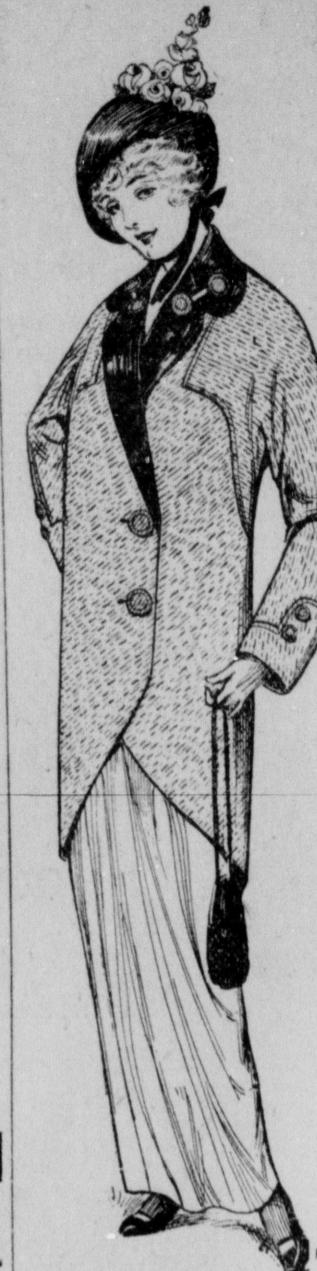
Washington, March 5.—Felix Diaz arrived today to attempt to get a hearing with the foreign relations committee and give his views on Mexico. Whether the committee will grant the hearing or not has not been determined. Diaz, it is understood, will try to convince the committee that he can establish stable government in Mexico.

**CARRANZA MOVES  
UNDER HEAVY GUARD**

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**SPECIAL SHOWING OF NEW****Spring Merchandise**

**New Dresses, Coats, Suits, Dress Goods, Silks, Wash Goods, Embroideries, Laces, Silk and Wash Waists, Table Linens, Muslin Undergarments, Ribbons, Trimmings, Rugs and Curtain Materials . . .**

**EXTRA SPECIAL VALUES**

25 Dozen Ladies' White Waists, handsomely trimmed, excellent value at \$1.25 and \$1.50. SPECIAL	\$1.00
25x36 inch Rag Rugs, new colorings SPECIAL	50C
Ye Olde Tyne Rag Rugs, size 25x50 inch SPECIAL	79C
1000 Yards Pure Linen Cluny Lace and Insertion, 2 to 4 inches wide. SPECIAL, per yard	10C

**A. L. GEISENHEIMER & CO.****Very Special for Saturday**

## APRONS

20 Dozen Aprons made of standard Percales Kimona Sleeves, light and dark, full size 50c value

43C

## HOUSE DRESSES

10 Dozen House Dresses in grays and blues, all sizes regular \$1.00

79C

## STREET DRESSES

All shades, Chambray and Gingham regular \$1.50 value at

\$1.90

## GINGHAM DRESSES

Extra Fine Trimmed Gingham Dresses regular \$2.00 value at

\$1.59

## CHILDREN'S DRESSES

Full line of Childrens Dresses at 59c and

98C

**RUBENSTEIN & CO.**

81 GALENA AVE.

DIXON, ILL.

**Spring****Derbies**

(Stetson)

You see here one of the new Stetson Stiff Hats that we are selling so fast.



Fine lines—three-quarterback bow—medium crown.

Many more styles and blocks here in our Stetson display—all the

popular colors and full range of sizes.

Easy to select exactly the Stetson that you'll like to wear.

Come see them for yourself.

**Bowmton Richards Co.**

"Every Inch a Clothing Store."

DIXON, ILLINOIS.

## Dramatic Notes



Patrick's day, March 17th. The program will consist of Irish folk songs and moving pictures of scenes in Ireland. In the evening a dance will be held in Rosbrook hall.

## FAMILY THEATRE

For the last portion of the week, commencing this evening, a vaudeville program par excellence will be presented at the cozy Family theatre, one that is easy to see but easy to remember, and strictly in line with the refined grade of high class talent always seen at this playhouse. Through special effort on the part of the management, Bob Finley, one of vaudeville's favorite comedians, who is the very last word in class, has been secured for this engagement, which will be his first appearance in this part of the country as he is now enroute for a tour of the big vaudeville houses of the Pacific coast. Mr. Finley is assisted in a novel arrangement of the latest dances and popular songs, interspersed with comedy patter, by the Misses Yates, who grace any program with their splendid appearance, dainty mannerisms, graceful dancing and beautiful costumes. Their efforts combined with those of Mr. Finley, make a most desirable acquisition to high class vaudeville. Also on this program will appear LeVere & Palmer in their splendid offering entitled "A Duo in Contrast," which is warmly received on every program on which this very clever couple have appeared.

## OPERA HOUSE.

The jolliest railway trip on record is from Chicago to Rena as set forth in "Excuse Me," at the opera house tonight. 2,000 miles of laughter are squeezed into two and three-quarters hours of Rupert Hughes' play. Comic incidents, witty lines, droll mixups and all the rest that go to make up a sparkling farce are in the play.

## OPERA STARS CONTRACT ILLNESS

(By the Associated Press)

New York, March 5—Mme. Melba, Emma Destin, Mme. Matzenauer, all grand opera prima donnas, have cancelled their engagements because of illness. Melba is prostrated with laryngitis at Springfield, Miss.; Mary Garden, who is similarly affected, hoped to rejoin her company by the end of the week.

## MATINEE AT FAMILY.

St.

Patrick's

Parish

will give a

matinee at the Family theatre on St.

yesterday.

## PUPILS' TEETH IN NEED OF ATTENTION

## MISS McCLEARY, THE VISITING NURSE, CONTINUES HELPFUL INVESTIGATIONS.

That the teeth of the pupils of the Dixon schools are in need of attention was the report submitted to the board of education of the south side schools last evening by Miss Neva McCleary, visiting nurse of the schools, whose report covered all the grades. The pupils of the seventh grade have the best teeth, according to the report, while in every grade there is evidence of a lack of proper care of the molars.

That Miss McCleary's work is to result most beneficially to the children whose parents take heed of the information she imparts to them has been evidenced for following her report last month that many of the pupils were suffering from enlarged tonsils or adenoids, a number of the parents announced their intention of having the troubles remedied during the coming summer vacation.

## CHAS WELTY BACK AGAIN.

Supervisor Charles Welty, veteran representative of Marion township, arrived home last night from Los Angeles, where he has been wintering, and gave the board members a pleasant surprise when he appeared in the meeting this morning. On motion of Supervisor "Billy" Edwards of Amboy, the board adjourned to "shake hands with Mr. Welty." Mr. Welty received the ovation graciously and then got down to work.

Henry Gehan and Geo. Schnuckle of West Brooklyn were in Dixon today.

Frank Hogan was here from Polo

yesterday.

## I. N. U. BOWLERS SPURT STOPPED

## POOLE'S LAUNDRIES RUDELY TOOK THREE GAMES LAST NIGHT.

Poole's laundrymen last evening effectively stopped the sensational spurt of the I. N. U. bowlers in the City league, and incidentally gained an even percentage in the race by taking three games from Mr. Alexander's representatives, the league standing being:

	W	L	Per.
Self	30	12	714
Peters	26	16	619
Reilly	24	15	615
Poole	21	21	500
I. N. U.	13	29	310
Gonnerman	9	30	231
The scores of the three games last night:			
I. N. U.			
Fritz	183	155	183
Duis	150	176	142
Coakley	142	182	129
Kelley	142	136	146
Gyleck	171	165	174
Totals	788	814	774
Poole			
Poole	199	188	188
Slothower	171	185	185
Ankeny	157	153	109
Lozier	177	162	206
Rosbrook	179	150	162
Totals	883	838	850

## GRASS FIRE.

The fire department was called to N. Squires Ave. at 12:45 yesterday to extinguish a grass fire.

Mrs. Julia Weiners, who has been a guest of Mrs. Frank Amberg, has returned to her home in St. Louis.

## METEOROLOGY.

By Alfred B. Collette

## The Study of Atmospheric Phenomena and Its Effect on Weather Conditions.

(Continued from last issue)

## THE BAROMETER (Continued)

While Torricelli is credited with the invention of the barometer there is a legend which has some foundation. In the middle centuries lived an Italian cobbler who had some kind of contrivance made of glass which extended from his cellar through the roof of his cottage. In this contrivance, so the legend runs, was a manikin which preceded fair weather appeared above the roof, and disappeared below it preceding wet weather. These coincidences naturally aroused the superstitions of the cobbler's neighbors who reported the strange antics of his manikin to the village authorities. He was immediately arrested, tried, declared a sorcerer and promptly executed. It is quite superfluous to state that his contrivance, which undoubtedly was a liquid barometer with the additional feature of the manikin, was destroyed. So that after all Torricelli may have had precursor in his cobbler compatriot.

This explanation of the construction of the barometer is that of Torricelli's experiment and not of the practical instrument of today.

While in principle it has not changed several minor improvements have been added from time to time which have rendered it a practical instrument. Until very recently there existed a fragility peculiar to barometers which rendered them impossible to transport other than being carried by hand. To ship them by common carrier was certain destruction of the instruments. This peculiarity was no small factor in contributing to the rarity of these instruments. This fragility was due to the fact that owing to the vacuum there is absolutely nothing to protect the fragile glass tube from the sharp impact of the mercurial column against the end of the tube when the instrument with any suddenness was inclined from the perpendicular this impact invariably shattered the glass and destroyed the barometer. However, by a simple contrivance in the cup which eliminates the vacuum by filling it with mercury by forcing it up from the cup, this instrument is easily transported without danger of breakage. Upon reaching its destination by the means of a key the instrument is brought to its normal condition. Another feature that is peculiar to the barometer only is that it must have certain length of tube above the level of the mercury in the cup which for this altitude must be not less than 30½ inches. The reason for this is that extremely high atmospheric pressures will sustain the mercurial column to that height. In Denver, Colorado, where the altitude is a mile above sea level a tube of 25½ inches in length is sufficient to

measure the extreme pressures there.

## Weather Forecasting.

Contrary to general opinion scientific weather forecasting is neither a gift nor a guess, but the study of well defined laws by which Nature governs weather. It is the old, old law of cause and effect. The knowledge of these laws which govern weather and the use of the necessary instruments to determine existing conditions enables any one of ordinary intelligence to anticipate the effect.

Shortly after Torricelli's invention of the barometer there appeared to be some relation between the fluctuating height of the mercurial column and the changes in weather that followed. It was observed that preceding wet weather the mercurial column shortened and that it lengthened preceding fair weather. These coincidences which were observed by the leading scientists of the time and were a source of much study bringing forth the theory of storms. It was observed that the variation of atmospheric pressure as indicated by the barometer moved over the face of the globe in the form of immense waves, and that fair weather prevailed in those areas where the pressure was high and foul weather where the pressure was low. The barometer then came into use in making forecasts.

The atmosphere is as much a part of the earth as the ocean while it may not seem so. The ocean is the earth's liquid envelope which we are well aware, of course, that it does not entirely envelope it, and the atmosphere is its gaseous envelope which does entirely envelope it. The liquid envelope is affected to some extent by the rotation of the earth on its axis, this the movement of the ocean currents prove. The gaseous envelope, however, while moving with the earth is affected to a much greater extent as is proven by the circulation of the air currents. At the Equator the earth rotates at a speed of 17 miles a minute; in our latitude at approximately 10 miles. The great speed at the Equator has the effect of causing the heated air which rises from those regions to form whirls in the atmosphere. Those to the north whirling from left to right or contrary to the movement of the hands of the clock, and those to the south whirl from right to left or clockwise. The friction of the earth and the atmosphere is what causes these whirls and to which are directly due our changes in weather. The whirls striking us move in a northeasterly general direction, modified to a considerable extent, however, by topographical conditions. The whirls in the southern hemisphere move in a southeasterly direction and are also modified by topographical conditions.

(Continued in next issue.)

## RESTING EASILY.

Mrs. George Gitt, who submitted to an operation at the hospital recently, is reported to be convalescing most favorably.

## SEED POTATOES.

Car on track Monday, March 9th. Early Ohio, Early Rose, Triumphs, Peerless and Rurals. Stock right, price right. G. F. Bishop. 543

## MOTHER OF LOESCHER BOYS DIED TODAY

## MOTHER OF DIXONITES PASSED AWAY AT DAUGHTER'S HOME IN CALIFORNIA.

Louis W. and Chris Loescher of this city today received the sad news of the death of their mother, Mrs. Marie Barbezat, at the home of Mrs. Fred Finkler, their sister, at Kenneth, Cal., at 9:40 a.m. today. In addition to the two sons here and the daughter at whose home she passed away, the deceased is survived by another daughter, Mrs. Peter Wragg of Chicago, to whom the condolence of friends is tendered. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

## STAY EXECUTION OF MRS. BUFFUM

(By the Associated Press) Little Valley, N. Y., Mich. 5—A notice of appeal, which automatically stays the execution of Mrs. Cynthia Buffum, who has been sentenced to die in the electric chair at Auburn next month, was filed today.

## BY MAIL.

The Dixon Evening Telegraph and the Chicago Journal, both one year for \$5.00.

## Zoeller's

## 5c, 10c and 25c Store

Friday and Saturday

## BARGAINS

The Store For Curtain Goods, Fri., & Sat., we shall place on sale curtain draperies in fifty different patterns. These curtain goods are all 1914 patterns and we believe so good a grade has never before been shown in this section at the price of 10c per yard. We shall also offer dozens of other money saving bargains which are arriving daily but for lack of time we cannot itemize.

## First Glimpses of Spring Merchandise

All over the store New Spring things are crowding in. You'll forget the snowdrifts, Madame, as you see the shimmer and color plays, the cunning weaves and graceful draping of the Silks, Wools and Cotton stuffs for spring wear.

There are dozens of costuming hints in the new Suits, Coats, Skirts and Waists, and bits of brightness and novelty all around. Come and look whether you care to buy or not.

## If You Appreciate Beautiful Lace

You will certainly enjoy seeing the truly wonderful showing we are making.

Cluny, Net, Venice, Russian, Normandy Vals, Shadow, all vie with each other in attracting your attention. By far we are showing the largest and best assortment of laces in this country—barring none.

## EICHLER BROS BEE HIVE

Famous For Ready-to-wear

## VAILE AND O'MALLEY CLOTHIERS

LOOK FOR THE SIGN

V &amp; O



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## YOUR SPRING HAT IS HERE

This is no advertising phrase—your spring hat is here. We say that with positive assurance; because every spring style in head wear you might wish to see or that will be worn this season is now shown in our extraordinary displays.

To our lines of Knox, Beacon and Schobie hats we have added Croft Knapp hats which are well known for their style originality and splendid quality.

THE DISH BRIM DERBY IS THE LAST WORD IN YOUNG MEN'S STIFF HATS. TAPERING HIGH CROWNS WITH NECKTIE BOWS ARE THE PROPER SOFT HATS.



## STYLE HINTS

Patch pocket suits and overcoats are very correct and will be worn quite generally this season.

## I. N. U. BOWLERS SPURT STOPPED

## POOLE'S LAUNDRIES RUDELY TOOK THREE GAMES LAST NIGHT.

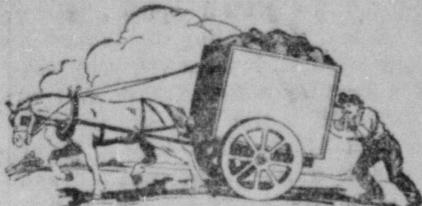
Poole's laundrymen last evening effectively stopped the sensational spurt of the I. N. U. bowlers in the City league, and incidentally gained an even percentage in the race by taking three games from Mr. Alexander's representatives, the league standing being:

	W	L	Per.
Self	30	12	714
Peters	26	16	619
Reilly	24	15	615
Poole	21	21	500
I. N. U.	13	29	310
Gonnerman	9	30	231
The scores of the three games last night:			
I. N. U.			
Fritz	183	155	183
Duis	150	176	142
Coakley	142	182	129
Kelley	142	136	146
Gyleck	171	165	174
Totals	788	814	774
Poole			
Poole	199	188	188
Slothower	171	185	185
Ankeny	157	153	109
Lozier	177	162	206
Rosbrook	179	150	162
Totals	883	838	850

## GRASS FIRE.

**Don't Get Stalled!**

Keep your liver active and you'll never suffer from Constipation, Languidness, Loss of Appetite, Indigestion, Headache and Complexion—you know the symptoms. There's a simple remedy—one that CANNOT fail, because it is applied common sense.

**They'll Set the Liver to Work**

Nobody need hesitate to take them freely. They are purely vegetable. Harmless; and act without any of the usual unpleasant griping.

**25c. In the Aluminum Box FOR SALE BY****GIRL BILLY RUGH SAVED BACK**

Returns to Home After Elopement Without Her Husband.

Gary, Ind., March 5.—Ethel Smith, the girl for whom Billy Rugh, the crippled newsboy, gave up his life and who two months ago caused such a sensation in Gary when she eloped and was married to Leon M. Kline, a cigar clerk, has come back to her parents' home. Since her elopement no word had been received of the couple until Mrs. Kline returned. The young wife said her husband is still in New Orleans. She denied any arrangement, but said she would make her future home with her parents.

**Wire Manufacturer Bankrupt.**

Boston, March 5.—John H. Parker, a wire manufacturer, doing business under the firm name of C. S. Knowles of Chelsea, New Bedford and Youngstown, O., filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of \$478,000 and assets of \$450,000.

**How a Regiment Was Recruited.**

With the New Year the British war office began to advertise for recruits, and one wonders if their methods will prove as successful as those of one of their representatives in India. Captain Holmes, a famous athlete in the Indian army, raised one of the finest regiments in the service by the sporting method of challenging all and sundry to wrestle. Those worsted were to enlist, and in a short time the gallant captain was able to show a collection of wrestling prizes that were a credit alike to himself and the army.—London Chronicle.

**Are Your Hands Tied?**

by a chronic disease common to women? You feel dull—headache? Backache, pains here and there—dizziness or perhaps toothache? There's something you can accomplish—nothing you can enjoy! There's no good reason for it—because you can find permanent relief in

**DR. PIERCE'S Favorite Prescription**

Mrs. Fannie H. Brent, of Bryant, Nelson Co., Va., writes: "I believe I had every pain and ache a woman could have, my back was weak, and I suffered with nervousness and could not sleep at night. I had spells in my right hip, and every morning would have spells and have to stay in bed. I have taken eight bottles of your 'Favorite Prescription' and one vial of your 'Pleasant Pellets'. Can now do my work for six in family, and feel like a new woman. I think it is the best medicine in the world for women. I recommend it to all my friends and many of them have been greatly benefited by it."

**Dr. PIERCE'S PLEASANT PELLETS**

Relieve Liver Ills!

**Who Wants to Be a Camel?**

A camel's hind legs will reach anywhere—over his head, round his chest, and onto his hump; even when lying down an evil disposed animal will shoot out his legs and bring you to a sitting posture. His neck is of the same pliancy. He will chew the root of his tail, nip you in the calf, or lay the top of his head on his hump. He also bellows and roars at you, whatever you are doing—saddling him, feeding him, mounting him, unsaddling him. To the uninitiated, camel going for one with his mouth open and gurgling horribly, is a terrifying spectacle; but do not mind him, it is only his way. "I heard," says Count Gleichen, "of one or two men having a leg broken from a kick at various times, but it was the exception and not the rule, for a camel is really a very docile animal, and learns to behave himself in most trying positions with equanimity, though I fear it is only the result of want of brains."

**Prominent Virginian Statesman.**

Zedekiah Kidwell, for many years a prominent figure in Virginia politics, was born 100 years ago in Fairfax county, Virginia. He was graduated from Jefferson Medical college in 1833 and practiced medicine for some years. Later he took up the study of law and was admitted to the bar. In 1849 he was a delegate to the convention called to revise the Virginia constitution. He was a representative in the state legislature for several terms and served in congress from 1853 to 1857. During the Civil war period he held an important departmental post under the Confederate states government in Richmond. Mr. Kidwell died in Fairmont, Va., April 27, 1872.

**Her Eyes Upon Him.**

A well-known writer was present recently at a dress rehearsal of a comedy played by amateurs. The rehearsal went well, but the hero, B—, seemed rather hard and cold. The novelist sat in a box next to a charming woman of middle age. She said, at the end of the third act: "It goes beautifully, doesn't it?" "Beautifully," said the gentleman. "But B— doesn't make love to that pretty girl in as ardent a manner as I could wish. His lovemaking, in fact, strikes me as very tame and spiritless." The woman frowned. "He won't put any more spirit in it while I've got my eye on him, let me tell you," she said. "I'm Mrs. B—."—New York Mail.

**Famous Japanese Shrine.**

Kyoto, Japan, abounds in picturesque temples and quaint shrines, but perhaps no more interesting or beautiful spot will be found than a small shrine below the Kiyomizudera. In the valley beneath this temple is the Ota-na-Taki, a small stream springing out of the rocks, led through bamboo pipes, and splashing on to the praying-stones in front of the shrine below. On these the devout kneel reverently, sometimes for 30 or 40 minutes, with cold water playing on their backs, supplicating the deity of the shrine for the safety and welfare of some beloved friend or relative.

**Sheridan and Brock Draw.**

Detroit, Mich., March 5.—Mickey Sheridan of Chicago and Phil Brock of Cleveland fought eight vicious rounds to a draw before the Windsor Athletic club.

**GIVE PEEVISH, CONSTIPATED CHILDREN AT ONCE "CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS"**

Harmless "Fruit Laxative" Cleanses Stomach, Liver and Bowels.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

Ask your druggist for a 50 cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally, which has directions for babies, children or is feverish, stomach sour, breath dren of all ages, and for grown-ups bad, has stomach ache, sore throat, plainly on each bottle. Beware of diarrhoea, full of cold, give a tea-spoonful of "California Syrup of Figs" and in just a few hours all of the foul, constipated waste, undigest-

Improving the Farm Home.

**PREPARE FOR COLD WEATHER**

**Bees Must Be Given Proper Protection**  
—**Hen House Should Be Made Snug and Then Whitewashed.**

Where are the bees going to winter? In the cellar or out-of-doors exposed to the storm? If in the cellar, a place should be prepared for them now, so that when cold weather sets in for good the hives can be quickly placed in position.

Once more: Never set the hives flat on the floor of the cellar—as some people do. Bees must have fresh air, and be kept free from dampness.

Every stormy day in which the hens are allowed to wander about without shelter, adds to the discrepancy in the egg basket.

Of course we can wait until stormy weather sets in before making the chickenhouse snug and comfortable, but it will cost us something, in the loss of eggs, to do it.

After it has been made all comfortable for the winter, take the time to give it another whirl of spraying with whitewash into which two teaspoonsfuls of carbolic acid to the painful have been dropped.

If we will put the drag on the road after late rains, right up until the ground freezes, we will have very much better roads when the frost comes out of the ground next spring.

It takes some courage to weed out the poultry flock down to the very essence of good quality, but this is the month to do it. Why feed any old scrubs during the long winter months? Stuff them two weeks, and send them to market.

Many people do not know that the tops of turnips, sugar beets and carrots can be cut off without impairing their keeping qualities. This should be done before they are put into winter quarters.

Maybe it is too late to gather road-dust for the fowls. If you have neglected to do this, you can give them sifted coal-ashes, which is the next best thing.

A few dollars invested in storm-doors on the house will not only save fuel, but will prevent sudden blasts of cold air from reaching the occupants—a thing which is always attended by some danger.

If you will put storm-windows over the regular windows, be sure to provide openings in both for proper ventilation. It is a fearful thing to sleep in an air-tight room.

**BUILD SUITABLE HOG HOUSES**

**Building May Be Cheap and Simple in Construction, but Should Be Convenient—Easily Arranged.**

When hogs are handled in large numbers, or where twenty or more brood sows are kept, a hog house large enough to accommodate the majority of the stock is often found. This system has the advantage of enabling the breeder to handle his hogs with less expenditure of labor and time than is possible if they are scattered over a larger area.

When such a house seems desirable, it may be cheap and simple in construction, but should be convenient. It should run east and west, and is most easily arranged with a row of pens on each side of an alley way, which extends the entire length of the building. The walls may be of one-inch material siding, but should fit very close in order to prevent draughts. The roof should be moderately high, to provide sufficient ventilation. Quite a number of windows should be installed in order to pro-

**Desirable Type of Sow for Producing Large Litters.**

vide sufficient sunlight to keep the pens dry and free from disease. The pens should be 7 by 8, or, for large sows, 8 by 10 feet.

There are many things to be said in favor of individual houses. First of all the hogs can be scattered more, thus lessening the chances of disease spreading through the entire herd. Secondly, fields and pastures may be utilized regardless of their location or proximity to other farm buildings. Third, such buildings are quite inexpensive, and the number can be increased as the herd increases in size.

There are many types of these houses. For a single sow, the A type is usually built 6 by 8 by 6 feet high. The rectangular type is built 7 by 8 feet for one sow, or 9 by 12 and divided into two compartments. Those with the higher roof and with provisions for opening either the sides or the roof, have so far proven the most satisfactory.

**MANAGER OF ERIE IS DEAD**

J. C. Stuart Succumbs—Was Chairman of Rail Body.

Garden City, L. I., March 5.—J. C. Stuart, vice-president and general manager of the Erie railroad, died at a hotel. He was fifty-three years old.

The deceased was chairman of the committee of railroad managers in the negotiations with the engineers and firemen over increased wages.

**Federal Post for Chicagoans.**

Washington, March 5.—W. O. Thompson, a Chicago attorney, who has devoted much time to industrial problems, has been engaged by the federal commission on industrial relations as counsel to the commission.

**Mrs. Wilson Suffers Shock.**

Washington, March 5.—Mrs. Woodrow Wilson was recovering from the shock of a fall on the White House floor. She sustained no injuries and expects to be up and about in a day or two.

**MOORE RESIGNS AS AID TO BRYAN**

**Counselor of State Department Asks President to Release Him.**

**DIFFERED WITH HIS CHIEFS**

**Resignation Expected for Several Weeks—John Lind and Others Are Slated for Post Made Vacant by Expert.**

Washington, March 5.—John Bassett Moore resigned as counselor for the state department. His resignation has been accepted by President Wilson. Simultaneously the president nominated W. Phillips of Boston to be third assistant secretary of state.

For the present Mr. Moore will continue his work here for the Carnegie institute and later will resume his connection with Columbia university. No announcement as to a probable successor was made.

**John Lind May Get Post.**

John Lind is mentioned as a possible successor to Mr. Moore. The names of Hannis Taylor, minister to Spain under Cleveland, and Henry White, ex-ambassador to France, are also mentioned.

In submitting his resignation, under date of February 2, Mr. Moore wrote President Wilson as follows:

"In resigning the office of counselor for the department of state, it is proper to recall the fact that I indicated at the outset that my tenure was only provisional, my sole motive in accepting the place being to render to your administration such service as might be possible in a period of transition. This design is now fulfilled.

"Ample opportunity having been afforded for the effective organization of the department's force, the duty which I took upon myself has been fully performed.

"Permit me to assure you that I

shall always stand ready to serve you,

as far as may be practicable, in any capacity in which there may seem to be an opportunity for usefulness."

President Lauds Moore.

In a statement accepting the resignation, President Wilson says:

"It is with the greatest reluctance

and regret that I see the administration deprived of the further services of Mr. John Bassett Moore. His counse

sel has been very valuable to us, but I cannot say that the resignation was unexpected, because when I, with difficulty, induced Mr. Moore a year ago to accept the post he frankly told me that he felt certain that his other engage

ments and systematic work which he had pledged himself to do would not permit his giving more than a year at the outside to this office.

"His resignation has been in my hands for a month, to take effect March 4. I have entertained the hope

that he might find the other things

pressing upon his attention less im

perative than he had expected, but in view of what he now tells me I have no right to urge him further to stay.

"I can only say that the adminis

tration loses a man with whom I was

proud to be associated and who de

serves the thanks of the country for

the work he has done in the depart

ment."

Rumors have been current for some time that friction had developed between Mr. Moore and Secretary of State Bryan.

Mr. Moore tendered his resignation after a brief conference with Presi

dent Wilson.

His reasons for taking this action

were not made public when the resig

nation was announced. It is believed,

however, that he had been greatly dis

satisfied with the management of the

state department under Secretary of

State Bryan and that he has frequently

expressed his dissatisfaction to Pre

ident Wilson.

Wilson May Make Statement.

When he assumed office, Mr. Moore promised that he would remain until the first year of the administration had been concluded, and now that that time has passed, Mr. Moore, it is said, feels that it is no longer incum

bent on him to stay in office. It is ex

pected that President Wilson will

make a statement regarding the res

ignation in a short time.

**WHEN COFFEE IS DEAD**

When coffee is dead, the grocer gives you the best value pos

sible to procure.

The grocer is the most conven

ient and the least expensive distri

butor of coffee; therefore, he is the

most logical distributor of coffee, and the one

most deserving of your patronage.

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**CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS**

**MAN WANTS BUT LITTLE HERE**  
A HE CANNOT GET BY ADVERTISING

If You Want to Buy a Farm, or Rent or Buy a House, or Insure Your Property or Automobile, See—

**Downing & Fruin**  
City National Bank Building' Phone 293  
REAL ESTATE LOANS

Residence: { Downing, 12593  
Fruin, 13625

and INSURANCE

**WANTED**

**WANTED.** Men to learn barber trade. Thousands have become successful shop owners by our system and send us to for barbers. Prepare now. Few weeks completes. Tools given. Wages while learning. Particulars mailed free. Write Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 48 6\*

**WANTED.** Ten salesmen that can sell the goods. No loafers or cigarette fiends need apply. Good money to good men every Saturday. Call at once. Diamond Remedy Co., 702 Depot Ave. 47tf 25 cents.

**WANTED.** Room with modern conveniences in private family, close in. Can give best of references. Address P. O. Box 118. 53 3\*

**WANTED.** Shoe repairing and carpet weaving. Best of workmanship. A. C. Lease, 211 West Everett St. Phone 13681. 24 24

**WANTED.** Highest market price paid for all kinds of junk, old iron, rags, rubber, metal, also hides and wool. Trading direct with us means more money for your goods. Call 413 for your orders. S. Rubenstein, 114-118 River St., Dixon. 10 26\*

**WANTED.** Garment repairing. We are fully equipped for repairing, such as shortening or lengthening sleeves or skirts, relining, rebinding coats, jackets, muffs and all common repairs in clothing at a reasonable charge. G. H. Beckingham, The Cleaner, 117½ First St., Telephone 1015. 10 26\*

**WANTED.** Four men or women who have their own horse and buggy, to work for an old and reliable firm. Good wages. Address J. W. D., Gen. Del., Dixon P. O. 43tf

**WANTED.** Five Hundred Men, Women and children to bring their shoes to us for repairing. Our work is the best that labor and material can produce. Full line of footwear, polish for white and black shoes, shoe strings and insoles. H. Beckingham, 108 Hennepin Ave. 260tf

**WANTED.** Ten salesmen that can sell the goods. No loafers or cigarette fiends need apply. Good money to good men every Saturday. Call at once. Diamond Remedy Co., 702 Depot Ave. 47tf

**WANTED.** 15 Holstein heifer calves from 3 to 10 days old. Will pay from \$6 to \$10 for good quality. Grand Detour Phone. A. L. Kreider. 446 \*

**WANTED.** Elderly lady for house-work. One in family. John DuBois, Phone 51500. 49tf

**WANTED.** Woodwork of all kinds, furniture repairing, remodeling and building new furniture, interior woodwork, stair building, pattern making, etc., at 213 E. First St. O. Selgestad & Son, 2 Doors East of Hotel Bishop. 49 24

**WANTED.** Man to route a horse. C. W. Brierton, Phone 48121. 49 6\*

**WANTED.** CALL 11563 FOR YOUR junk orders. Buying old iron, rags, rubber, metal and paper, also all kinds of furs, hides and wool. Will call for all your orders and pay highest market price. B. Hasselson, 1420 Cor. Rock Island road, also Pump Factory Road, Dixon, Ill. 50tf

**WANTED.** Ad man at this office. Apply at once. 1f

**WANTED.** Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. We have two children. Phone Mrs. Dixon at Bishop Hotel. 52 3\*

**WANTED.** If you want to move call the Dixon moving van. Telephone 14302. Jake May. 52 3

FOR RENT. 5 room tenement with barn, \$10, without barn \$8. Enquire 608 College Ave. 52 6\*

**LOST**

**LOST.** Pocketbook containing \$5 gold piece. Call Miss Minnie Dinger, Phone 12520. 52 3

**LOST.** A \$10 bill Monday afternoon in City National bank, postoffice, Geisenheimer's store, O. H. Brown's or Falstrom's flower shop. Reward if returned to Mrs. Paul G. Lord. 53 3

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.**

Sealed proposals addressed to the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, and endorsed proposals for the furnishing of the labor and materials for and the construction of cement concrete curbing, vitrified brick or block pavement with asphalt filler, and the construction of six (6) catch basins and providing for three (3) manhole covers adjusted to grade in, upon and along that portion of North Galena Avenue from the north line of Fellows Street to the north line of the right-of-way of the Illinois Central Railroad Co., in the City of Dixon, Lee Co., Ill., as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 156, Series of 1913, of said City of Dixon, will be received by the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, at the City Clerk's office in said City of Dixon until 2 o'clock in the afternoon on Friday, the 13th day of March, A. D. 1914, and will be publicly opened by the Mayor of said City of Dixon, (who is president of said Board of Local Improvements) at a joint meeting of said Council and Board of Local Improvements to be held in the Council Chamber in the City Hall in said City of Dixon at 2 o'clock in the afternoon on said day.

Said bids shall be opened by the Mayor in the presence of a majority of the Council and shall remain on file in the Mayor's office and be open to public inspection for at least forty-eight (48) hours before an award of said contract is made to any competitor. After the expiration of forty-eight (48) hours, as above stated, said Council and Board of Local Improvements shall meet in joint session and determine the most advantageous bid for the City and publicly declare the same.

That the work for which said tenders are invited is the construction of about 370 linear feet of cement concrete curbing, 22" high, 6" wide, at top and 8" wide at bottom, with foundation of sand, gravel, broken stone or cinders 6" deep and 12" wide; 6 catch basins of brick, 5 feet deep and 3 feet internal diameter, with approved cover, grate and curb box and connected to manhole with 10" vitrified pipe; 3 manhole covers adjusted to grade; 1926 cubic yards of crushed stone in foundation with filler of sand or screenings; 450 cubic yards of clean sand in cushion; 7191 square yards of vitrified brick or block paving with asphalt filler as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 156, Series of 1913, of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

Each bid for this work must be accompanied by a certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten (10) per cent of the aggregate of said proposal. All certified checks must be drawn upon some responsible bank and must be payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon in his official capacity. No bids will be considered unless accompanied by such certified check or cash.

Said cash or certified check will be held by said Board of Local Improvements until the bids have been canvassed and the contract has been awarded and signed. The return of said certified check or cash to the satisfactory bidder being conditioned upon his appearance within fifteen days after having been notified of the award having been made to him or them, accompanied by his or their bondsmen and executing a contract with said Board of Local Improvements for the completion of the work so awarded and giving a bond satisfactory to the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon.

A bond of Fourteen Thousand (\$14,000.00) Dollars will be required conditioned for the fulfillment of the contract and complying with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the Board of Local Improvements and the Council of the City of Dixon. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidders at said City Clerk's office.

The payment for the work for which said tenders are invited is to be made in cash or bonds payable when the contract is completed and the work accepted by the Board of Local Improvements and Council of the City of Dixon, bonds to draw interest at five (5) per cent. No bids will be considered unless the party shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements and Council of said City of Dixon of his experience and ability in this class of work and that he can control sufficient capital to enable him to successfully prosecute the same in case the contract shall be awarded to him.

Bidders will examine the ordinance, maps, plats, plans, profiles and specifications and also the locality in which said work is to be done and judge for themselves of all the cir-

cumstances and surrounding conditions affecting the cost and nature of the work.

Specifications are on file in the Mayor's office and may be seen at either the office of the Mayor or City Clerk of the City of Dixon.

The Council and Board of Local Improvements reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, March 2nd, A. D. 1914.

Signed:  
THE COUNCIL AND BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON, ILLINOIS.  
By Mark C. Keller,  
Their Attorney.

**REVIVES BRIBE CHARGE**

Greeley Says Chicago Brokers Raised "Put and Call" Fund.

Says Aid Was Refused—House Committee Hears Demands of Farmers for Inquiry.

Washington, March 5.—Charges that a jackpot was used by Chicago board of trade members to obtain "put and call" legislation from the Illinois legislature last year were revived by S. H. Greeley of Chicago at the hearing of arguments on the Manahan resolution by the house rules committee.

He read extracts from a memorial to the Forty-eighth general assembly of Illinois, submitted on May 5 last by John Hill, Jr., a member of the board of trade, declaring that a sum of \$5,300 had been raised to secure the passage of the so-called "put and call" bill, which Mr. Hill declared was vicious legislation.

Mr. Hill was censured by the Illinois senate for his statement after he failed to show the money had been raised for an irregular purpose.

"The chamber of commerce of Minneapolis, the largest primary wheat market of the world, is a private market, a monopoly opposed to the interests of the producers it is supposed to serve," Benjamin Drake of Minneapolis, counsel for half a dozen growers associations, declared before the committee. Mr. Drake and representatives of organizations of northwestern wheat growers urged the enactment of laws establishing federal control of public terminal grain warehouses, government inspection and grading of grain and prohibition of dealings in grain futures where actual delivery is not intended.

Enlargement of the scope of the pending Manahan resolution is contemplated now by the rules committee, as the result of a proposal that the New York and New Orleans cotton exchanges also be investigated.

**TIME TABLE****ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.**

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily except Sunday.

**South Bound.**

19 Local Express*	8:18 a.m.
123 Southern Exp Dly	11:18 a.m.
31 Clinton Exp*	5:09 p.m.
Amboy Frt.	8:50 a.m.

**North Bound.**

132 Waterloo Exp*	9:50 a.m.
24 Local Mail Dly	5:30 p.m.
20 Local Exp*	8:05 p.m.
Freeport Frt*	12:30 p.m.

**CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.**

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified.

**East Bound to Chicago.**

No. Lv. Dixon	Ar. Chicago
6 3:23 a.m.	6:45 a.m.
24 6:27 a.m.	9:05 a.m.
28 7:22 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
18 8:05 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
14 1:16 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
20 11:08 a.m. dly ex Sun	2:50 p.m.
4 4:21 p.m. dly ex Sun	7:40 p.m.
100 4:15 p.m. Sun only	7:50 p.m.
12 6:10 p.m.	8:45 p.m.

**West Bound.**

No. Lv. Chicago	Ar. Dixon
5 7:00 a.m. ex Sun	10:20 a.m.
99 7:10 a.m. Sun only	10:23 a.m.
19 10:15 a.m.	12:50 p.m.
9 12:15 p.m. dly ex Sun	3:34 p.m.
27 4:20 p.m.	7:26 p.m.
11 6:05 p.m.	8:40 p.m.
25 6:10 p.m.	8:57 p.m.
17 9:31 p.m.	11:53 p.m.
7 10:02 p.m.	12:36 a.m.
3 10:45 p.m.	1:57 a.m.

No. Lv. Dixon	Ar. Peoria
801 8:35 Peoria Pas	11:52 a.m.

\*Los Angeles Limited.

No. 17 stops only for passengers to Granger, Wyo., or beyond.

**PUBLIC SALE.**

To be held at my place of residence 3 miles south of Dixon on Peoria road on Friday, March 6, 1914. Sale to begin at 12 o'clock sharp.

20 head of horses and mules: 1 span of black mare, mules 8 years old, wt. 2700 lbs. and sound; 1 span bay mules 6 years old, wt. 2600 lbs. and sound; 1 cream driving mare, family broke, wt. 1100 lbs., fine driver, 4 years old; 1 span black geldings 3 years old, wt. 2600 lbs. sound, 1 span of sorrel mare and gelding 3 years old, wt. 2800 lbs., sound; 1 roan mare 2 years old, wt. 1200 lbs.; 1 bay mare 3 years old, wt. 1000 lbs.; 1 bay gelding 4 years old, wt. 1500; 1 bay horse 8 years old, wt. 1400 lbs.; 1 gray mare 12 years old, wt. 1300 lbs.; 1 span of 3 year old colts; 1 grey Percheron stallion wt. 2000 lbs. registered in Am. Breeders' and Importers' Registry Co. This horse is 4 years old and guaranteed him 60 per cent foal getter.

London, March 5.—Militant suffragettes fought in a hall where J. Ramsay MacDonald, chairman of the labor party, which is for woman suffrage, began speaking at a party rally. Suffragettes, aided by a number of men, heckled at the speaker. Women had been hired to deal with suffragettes, but were unable to eject the militants, who were put out by men after a fight that lasted nearly an hour and resulted in a call for the police. Women grabbed one another by the hair, scratched faces and tore clothing. Finally the police were called and Mr. MacDonald got a chance to finish his speech.

**LESS DYSPEPSIA NOW**

**—HERE'S THE REASON**

The fact that there is less dyspepsia and indigestion in this community than there used to be is largely, we believe, due to the extensive use of Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets, hundreds of packages of which we have sold. No wonder we have faith in them. No wonder we are willing to offer them to you for trial entirely at our risk.

Among other things, they contain Pepsin and Bismuth, two of the greatest digestive aids known to medical science. They soothe the inflamed stomach, allay pain, check heartburn and distress, help to digest the food, and tend to quickly restore the stomach to its natural, comfortable, healthy state.

There is no red tape about our guarantee. It means just what it says. We'll ask you no questions. Your word is enough for us. If Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets don't restore your stomach to health and make your digestion easy and comfortable we want you to come back for your money. They are sold only at the 7,000 Rexall Stores and in this town only by us. Three sizes, 25c, 50c and \$1.00—Campbell & Son, 105 First St.

All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 4th day of March, A. D. 1914.

WILLIAM BEIER,  
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Attorney

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ager of the Calumet and Hecla Mining  
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**GET MEAGHER'S SWORD**

University Receives Weapon of  
Irish War Hero.

W. Bourke Cockran Orator at Indiana  
Ceremonies Attended by Many  
Visitors of Note.

Notre Dame, Ind., March 5.—Irish-  
Americans of Illinois, Indiana, Mon-  
tana and New York joined in com-  
memorating the services performed by  
the men of their race under the Stars  
and Stripes during the Civil war.

The occasion was the presentation  
to the University of Notre Dame of  
the sword of Gen. Thomas Francis  
Meagher, leader of the famous "Irish  
brigade," which six times stormed in  
vain the impregnable heights at  
Fredericksburg and whose bayonets  
swept back Pickett's men at the "high  
tide" at Gettysburg.

The presentation of the sword  
brought together representative men  
from the states named. From Mon-  
tana came Senator Thomas J. Walsh  
to speak for the state of which  
Meagher was governor. From New  
York, where were recruited the ma-  
jority of the soldiers that Meagher led,  
came W. Bourke Cochran to deliver  
one of the principal addresses. Very  
Rev. John Cavanaugh, C. S. C., ac-  
cepted the sword.

While the heroic deeds of the men  
of the Irish brigade were the ones of  
which the orators had the most to say,  
it was not of them alone that they  
spoke.

Rev. Father Corby, one of the presi-  
dents of Notre Dame, who had given  
the brigade absolution for the dying  
as it rushed forward to meet Lee's  
veterans at Gettysburg, shared with  
Meagher in the honors of the evening.  
When Roger C. Sullivan, acting as  
chairman, predicted that if another  
war should break out Notre Dame  
would furnish both Corbys and Meaghers  
to the nation, the applause was  
the greatest. In opening the meeting  
Mr. Sullivan paid particular tribute  
to the work that had been done by  
the priests that Notre Dame had sent  
to serve as chaplains in the Union  
army. Senator Walsh opened his ad-  
dress with quoting Meagher's exordium  
to the sword.

**GLANDS OF DEAD IN LIVING**

Chicago Surgeon Performs Feat on  
Himself.

Chicago, March 5.—Successful im-  
plantation of a gland from the body  
of a youth dead 24 hours to his own  
body was announced by Dr. G. Frank  
Lydston before the Chicago Medical  
society. In addition to his self-con-  
ducted operation, Dr. Lydston gave de-  
tails of a similar gland transplanta-  
tion in which organs of a young woman  
dead several hours were installed in  
the body of a woman of fifty-nine  
years. In both cases the organs have  
continued to exercise their functions  
without apparent change, he declared.

"I used my own body so that I might  
study the developments closely and  
so that no one else need suffer if my  
theory proved wrong," Doctor Lydston  
said.

**PLOT AGAINST JOHN D.**

Man Sentenced to Die Confesses to  
Conspiracy.

New York, March 5.—With death in  
the electric chair only three weeks  
away, Pietro Rebaci confessed in  
Sing Sing prison a series of "Black  
Hand" intrigues and murders in West-  
chester county. He said the "Black  
Hand" leaders had threatened John  
D. Rockefeller and had written that  
they would kidnap his grandson, John  
D. Rockefeller III. Mr. Rockefeller  
remained away from his Pocantico  
Hills estate and a platoon of detec-  
tives patrolled the grounds with shot-  
guns a long time.

**Maker of X-Ray Tubes Is Dead.**

Hartford, Conn., March 5.—Henry  
Green, pioneer manufacturer of X-ray  
tubes, died at his home here of car-  
cinoma of the liver induced by X-ray  
poisoning. John L. Bauer, a glass  
blower, who aided him in the devel-  
opment of the tubes, died from the  
same disease in 1906.

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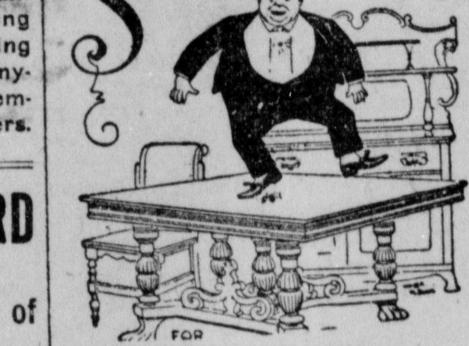
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